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Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1-25. (cancelled without prejudice)

26. (currently amended) A wrist-mounted communication device for attaching to a wearer's wrist, the device comprising an antenna system having at least a first section coupled to said device and configured to transmit and receive communication signals, said antenna having an openable [removable] cover and a biasing mechanism wherein said [removable] openable cover holds said antenna in horizontal plane position of said wrist-mounted communication device when said device is not in use by a user, said biasing mechanism, when said [removable] openable cover is removed, automatically releases said antenna to a desired position away from said horizontal plane when said wrist communication device is in use by said user.

27. (previously cancelled)

28. (currently amended) The device according to claim 26, wherein said [removable] openable cover is a removable handset of said wrist-mounted communication device.

29. (previously presented) The device according to claim 26, wherein said wrist mounted communication device further comprises a watch unit.

30. (previously presented) The device according to claim 29, wherein while attached to said wrist-mounted communication device, said cover and said watch unit are in opposite relationship on a user's wrist.

31. (currently amended) The device according to claim 26, wherein the back of said [removable] openable cover is made from the same material as the external part of said wrist-mounted communication device so that when said [removable] openable cover is positioned on said wrist communication device, the entire communication device appears in a uniformly integrated arrangement.

32. (previously presented) The device according to claim 26, wherein said antenna is expandable in its open position.

33. (previously presented) The device according to claim 32, further comprising an expansion antenna configured to rotate about said first antenna.

34. (previously presented) The device according to claim 26, further comprising at least a second antenna configured to operate independently from said first antenna.

35. (previously presented) The device according to claim 34, wherein said first and second antenna operate as a diversity antenna.

36. (previously presented) The device according to claim 34, wherein one end of said first antenna is coupled to said communication device and the other end of said first antenna is rotatably coupled to one end of said second antenna.

37. (previously presented) The device according to claim 34, wherein one end of said first and second antenna is rotatably coupled to said communication device such that said first and second antennas are adjustable to form an angle in relation to each other.

38. (previously presented) The device according to claim 28, wherein said handset is a multi-sectioned handset comprising at least two sections configured to move between a closed position and an open position, wherein in closed position said multi-sectioned handset is adapted to be as small as the largest section, and wherein in open position said sections of said multi-sectioned handset expand to provide an extended handset.

39. (previously presented) The device according to claim 29, further comprising a multi-sectioned keypad comprising at least two sections configured to move between a closed position and an open position, wherein in closed position said multi-sectioned keypad is adapted to be as small as the largest section, and wherein in open position said sections of said multi-sectioned keypad expand to provide an extended keypad.

40. (previously presented) The device according to claim 26, wherein said wrist-mounted communication device further comprises a keypad unit.

41. (previously presented) The device according to claim 26, wherein said wrist-mounted communication device further comprises a display unit.

42. (previously presented) The device according to claims 40 or 29, wherein said keypad unit and said watch unit are in opposite relationship on a user's wrist.

43. (previously presented) The device according to claims 41 or 29, wherein said display unit and said watch unit are in opposite relationship on a user's wrist.